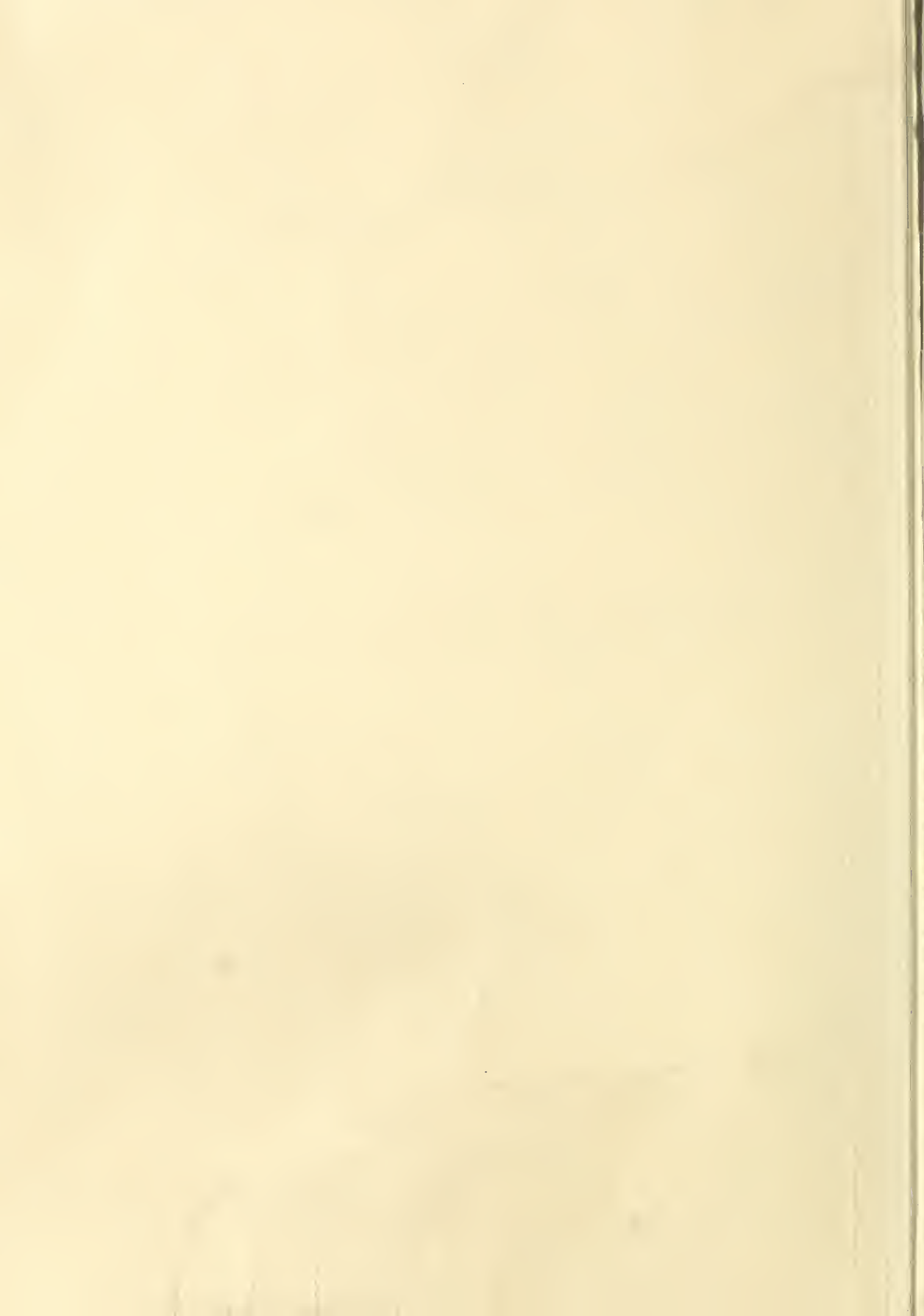


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COTTONSEED REVIEW - SOUTHWESTERN AREA

The movement of cottonseed to crushing mills increased during the past week as near ideal harvesting weather conditions prevailed in western Texas. In Oklahoma light, misty rains slowed the movement down for a short time but open weather returned the first of this week and harvest was again making good progress. All available labor is being used but the supply was not adequate for the demand. A few mechanical strippers have been put into operation but in most places the leaves have not fallen off the plants and the strippers can not operate successfully.

Cottonseed prices in Texas for wagon lot seed f.o.b. the gins this week averaged \$77.90 per ton which was about unchanged from last week's average price of \$77.80 per ton. In Oklahoma this week gin yard prices increased slightly, with an average price of \$77.50 per ton compared to \$76.30 per ton last week. On the corresponding date one year ago the average gin yard price in Texas was \$100.90 per ton and in Oklahoma \$97.70 per ton while two years ago the average Texas price was \$43.50 per ton and Oklahoma price was \$43.30 per ton.

The quality of cottonseed continued to be excellent, with a slight increase in the average grade in Oklahoma this week. In Texas the average grade was 104.0 which was unchanged from last week. The average grade in Oklahoma this week was 102.0 compared to 101.5 last week. A very few discounts for excess foreign matter and moisture were noted on the certificates received from licensed chemists and most of these were on seed from early producing sections of the area. The oil content continued to be very good.

This week oil mill prices (as is and basis grade) were unchanged from last week. Texas mills were generally quoting cottonseed at \$82.00 per ton while in Oklahoma mill prices ranged from \$82.00 to \$85.00 per ton. Cottonseed meal in the Dallas market was quoted at \$87.00 per ton.

The sampling and grading of cottonseed is under the supervision of the Production and Marketing Administration.

United States Standard grades and prices paid farmers per ton for cottonseed

District	Standard grades	Prices	District	Standard grades	Prices
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T E X A S

District 1

Andrews	100.0	108.0	104.5	-
Bailey	75.5	106.0	99.5	77
Briscoe	100.0	110.5	105.5	-
Castro	102.5	107.5	105.5	*77
Cochran	103.0	108.0	105.0	-
Crosby	100.0	110.5	105.0	77
Dawson	95.5	111.5	105.0	*80
Floyd	77.0	112.5	105.0	*77
Gaines	103.0	109.0	105.5	-
Hale	99.0	112.0	105.5	77
Hockley	97.0	115.0	103.0	77
Howard	100.5	109.0	103.0	77
Lamb	99.0	111.5	104.0	77
Lubbock	94.5	110.0	104.5	77-80
Lynn	98.5	110.5	105.0	80-82
Martin	98.0	109.0	105.5	77-80
Midland	101.5	105.5	104.0*	-
Parmer	98.0	102.0	100.5*	-
Swisher	102.5	106.5	104.0	*77
Terry	94.0	110.5	104.5	77-80
Yoakum	100.0	107.5	104.0	-
Average District 1		104.0		77.70
Average Last Week		105.0		77.50

District 2

Baylor	99.5	105.5	101.5	*77
Childress	100.5	106.0	103.5	79
Coleman	-	-	-	*80
Collingsworth	98.5	107.5	103.5	78-80
Cottle	97.0	105.5	102.5	82
Dickens	100.0	111.0	105.0	*77
Donley	102.0	108.5	104.5	*79
Fisher	103.5	108.0	105.0	*77
Foard	96.0	108.0	102.5	*77
Garza	-	-	-	*77
Hall	99.5	107.0	103.5	79
Hardeman	99.5	108.0	104.0	*77
Haskell	91.5	105.5	100.5	*77
Jones	92.5	107.0	99.5	77
Kent	101.0	110.0	106.0	*77
King	-	-	-	*82
Knox	92.5	107.5	101.0	77
Mitchell	100.5	104.0	102.5	77
Motley	101.5	107.0	104.5	*79
Nolan	102.5	107.0	105.0	77
Runnels	96.0	109.5	101.0	77-80

Dist. 2 (Continued):

Scurry	101.5	107.0	104.5	*77
Stonewall	98.5	105.0	101.5*	-
Taylor	97.0	106.0	102.0	77-80
Wheeler	104.5	110.0	107.0	-
Wichita	102.0	103.5	103.0*	*77-80
Wilbarger	97.0	106.5	103.0	77
Average District 2		103.0		78.10
Average Last Week		103.5		78.10

District 3

Clay	-	-	-	77-80
Eastland	99.0	104.0	101.5*	*77
Throckmorton	99.0	102.0	100.5	-
Young	98.5	100.0	99.0*	*75
Average District 3		100.5		78.00
Average Last Week		98.5		76.50

District 4

Bell	-	-	-	75
Bosque	-	-	-	*70-80
Collin	97.5	98.5	98.0	78-80
Coryell	-	-	-	*75
Dallas	-	-	-	75-80
Delta	-	-	-	80
Ellis	-	-	-	77
Fannin	-	-	-	80
Grayson	-	-	-	80
Hill	-	-	-	77
Hunt	95.5	96.5	96.0	80
Johnson	-	-	-	77
Kaufman	-	-	-	77-80
Lamar	-	-	-	80
McLennan	-	-	-	75-80
Navarro	-	-	-	77
Rockwall	-	-	-	*80
Tarrant	95.5	100.5	98.0*	*75-77
Williamson	-	-	-	73-80
Average District 4		97.0		77.70
Average Last Week		94.0		77.90

District 5

Cass	-	-	-	*80
Cherokee	99.0	102.5	100.5	-
Harrison	92.0	95.0	93.5	*68
Hopkins	97.5	98.5	98.0	80
Red River	-	-	-	75-80
Smith	-	-	-	*75
Van Zandt	-	-	-	*75-80

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